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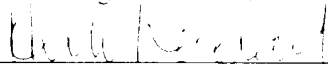
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**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT FILED PURSUANT TO THE DUTY OF
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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant requests consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

PART I: Compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement has been filed more than three months after the filing date of this application and after the mailing date of the first Office Action, but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in this application.

The fee of **\$180** as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is enclosed.

PART II: Information Cited

The Applicant hereby makes the following additional information of record in the above-identified application.

The applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following co-pending applications that may contain subject matter related to this application:

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>
M0656/7063	09/802.285	03/08/01	Liu et al.
M0656/7069	09/951.138	09/12/01	Sasisekharan et al.
M0656/7070	09/982.548	10/18/01	Liu et al.

By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicant makes no representation that a search has been performed, of the extent of any search performed, or that more relevant information does not exist.

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By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicant makes no representation that the information cited in the Statement is, or is considered to be, in fact, prior art as defined by 35 U.S.C. §102.

Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicant, the Examiner is urged to form his own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following document(s):

- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Cited Co-Pending Patent Applications
- ☒ Check in the Amount of \$180.00 (IDS Fee)
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If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$180.00 is enclosed. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23 2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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